

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—A Charleston man wants a divorce because his wife snores so loud he can not sleep.

—Charley Harrity, just 21, and Mrs. Sarah Woods, twice a widow and 48, were married at Bloomington, Ill.

—Allen Hampton, of St. Louis, fell in love with his step-daughter and his wife tried to end his existence with a butcher knife.

—Mr. R. N. Hatter, aged 74 years, of Casey county, and Mrs. Sarah Dawes, aged 40, were married at the court house in this city last Friday.—Columbia Spectator.

—Miss Eva Raines, daughter of Mr. Wm. Raines, of Rowland, and Mr. J. P. McDonald, of the Cincinnati Southern, were married Saturday by Rev. A. V. Sizemore. The bride is a handsome girl of 18 and the groom appears to be a very worthy young man.

—Finley E. Collins, under a life sentence in the penitentiary, who was pardoned by Acting Gov. Worthington, found upon his return to Letcher county that his wife had married twice during his 13 years' confinement. Collins is now suing for divorce.

—A peculiar double marriage is soon to take place near Ashland. Several years ago two men eloped with each other's wives, the latter securing divorces. They married, each the other's divorced wife, lived together a year or more, separated, were again divorced and now have arranged to make a double wedding of it, each fellow taking his first wife again.

—Mr. W. F. Martin, son of the chief engineer of the Cataract Construction Company at Niagara Falls, N. Y., and at present connected with the Cincinnati Southern in a good position, was married Saturday afternoon to Miss Virgeline, the pretty daughter of Mr. James Raines, of this place. Rev. A. V. Sizemore officiated. The immediate friends alone were present at the ceremony.

—Romance and tragedy are so closely interwoven into the life of Miss Pearl Crouch, of this county, says the Paris News, that a recital of recent occurrences of her life reads like fiction. Last summer she was wooed by Dock Allington, much against her father's will. The father and lover met one day last October and after hot words, Allington shot Mr. Crouch, the wound causing his death after several weeks of suffering. During the watch at the bedside of her mortally wounded parent, Pearl Crouch wandered out in the orchard at dawn, Oct. 31st, and stumbled upon the body of her lover, Allington, who had been foully assassinated, both eyes being shot out. Miss Crouch was arrested on a charge of an accessory in causing Allington's death, but was subsequently released. Later she went to Louisville to reside and there she was wooed by Oscar Schwisler, but he found no favor in her eyes. Schwisler brooded over his ill luck and resolved to go to Cincinnati. Tuesday he went to say farewell to Miss Crouch and had a short interview with her. Suddenly Schwisler leaned over and kissed her, then drew a revolver and shot her in the temple fatally.

CHURCH CHIMES.

—Rev. Ben Heim is holding a protracted meeting at Johnson's Chapel, in Casey county.

—Work has begun on another church at Berea. The Baptists will build a \$2,500 house, with a seating capacity of 500. Already \$1,200 has been raised.

—The Presbyterians dedicated their pretty new church at Corbin, Sunday, Dr. Witherspoon, of Louisville, officiated. A big dinner was served on the grounds.

—The big sanctification revival at Penny's Chapel, has closed with 117 professions of sanctification. The meeting, which only lasted 16 days, was conducted by the regular pastor, the Rev. Clark, assisted by the Rev. Harney.—Lawrenceburg News.

—Rev. E. O. Guerrant is holding a meeting in Breathitt county. He writes to the Jesamine Journal that he is preaching in a tent. "No church in this county. This Troublesome stream is a river 52 miles long, and Lost Creek 20 miles, almost destitute of the gospel. On the 19th over 100 persons accepted Christ as their Savior for the first time. Most of them men and women. One man over 80 years old."

—This is the way J. C. Harris, a member of Rev. E. O. Guerrant's church, comes back at Mrs. Snell, who scored the preacher at the Holiness meeting: "I personally know that what he was accused of was an unmitigated falsehood and instituted by some whose love for lying would put Ananias to shame. This woman of large proportions and huge weight, whose temper has been soured by the hot sun of the South, and who has a predisposition to fuss, should take the pains to learn what people think of her before she attempts to annihilate one of their most honorable citizens."

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MIDDLEBURG, CASEY COUNTY.

—Since the sad occurrence at Yosemite the boys who have been jumping off and on trains have abandoned it.

—Quite a disaffection exists among the democrats in regard to the Chicago platform and some declare if they have free silver let's have free everything.

—Many crops of wheat and oats are being fed to hogs and cattle on account of the continuous rain damaging the grain until it was not thought salable.

The Grain Bug eats the Farmer's Grain. The Bee Bug spoils his honey. The Chinch Bug fills his life with pain. The Hum Bug gets his money.

—The Casey County Union Sunday-School Convention meets at Dunbarville today and a large and interesting program has been arranged besides addresses from able divines.

—The cheese and cracker railroad from Kingsville to Yosemite will suspend all operations and be torn up on Aug. 1st. It will "fizz" out this time and not many will regret it.

—The recent demand for hogs has caused a clean sweep in this section from suckling to porkers and the man who fattens for winter use will have to purchase in other "destricts."

—Under the supervision of F. B. Lucas, Dr. J. T. Wesley is having his office extended and remodeled and when completed will be far superior of the old one both in looks and convenience.

—Mr. Keeney, of the firm of Keeney & Taylor, of Yosemite, was in town this week with an eye of moving back among us this fall and the smile he presents you with reminds one of yore.

—Wm. Moreland and other parties, near Stanford, have been here culling sheep for J. C. Coulter and others and those taken away pronounced the best drove seen on our road in many days.

—The common schools of the county have opened from the Sage Grass to the Pennyrite districts and many an urchin is shooting wads against the ceiling, while the teacher "snoozes" and dreams of the past.

—The write-up of Casey county in Sunday's Courier-Journal of 21 columns has caused the writer to receive many excellent compliments by competent judges and he hereby returns his thanks for same.

—The present wheat crop has come and gone glimmering, and a biscuit to the average "Caseyite" this fall will be a rarity; unless some point in its borders is designated to distribute its share of free silver before the price of wheat advances to a higher standard.

—The republican primary to be held on Aug. 15th from indications shows to be one sided as David G. will get all the votes and the "Crested Jayhawker" none. The republicans of Casey are not over-burdened with love for David G., but will honor him by her vote.

—The copious showers that have been prevailing for some time past has caused the weeds to share in proportion to the corn in extending their height, and a more promising outlook for a crop of cockle burrs in the lower bottoms was never eyed upon by human being.

—Since the new batteries have been put in on the telephone line our clever operator, Mr. Collinsworth, has been compelled to hire an extra clerk to wait upon his customers while he and the operator at Hustonville, whose first name is "June," debates the question of whose time it is to talk with the lady operator at Liberty.

—While on an excursion Sunday en route to Cincinnati one of our town boys became entangled with the person of one of Pulaski's bad, bold men and had to lay a right hander upon that organ of his face that renders smell sensible, and completely demolished it. We claim no men from Bitter Creek, but warn those boys to keep off the band wagon or tar might stick to their fingers.

—With the teachers' institute, circuit court, county fair, the presence of Ed. Walton, of Stanford, Harry Giovannoni, of Danville, and many other things to transpire in the next four weeks, the "State of Casey" will be stirred from center to circumference and will rival all things since the Columbian exposition and will crowd the big pot in the little one. "What a gathering of the natives 'twill be."

—A year or more has elapsed since we penned any news for the I. J. and here ask pardon of your regular scribe for trespassing upon his territory and wonder if the "Ed." would print this if he knew we were a republican of free silver ideas.

[Yes, indeed. It matters not to us who sends the news, so it is reliable and readable. Please cut and come again.—Ed.]

—Mr. Samuel C. Hardin, of Albany, Clinton county, was in our midst this week in the interest of his race for the nomination for Congressman and seems to be in the lead by odds. Mr. Hardin is a fine lawyer, elegant talker and a man qualified for the place he seeks, but the republicans have such a majority, the way looks dark and dreary for him; but with Free Silver Salve, of Barbourville, Independent White, of Manchester, and David G., of Bell county, the devil and his angels can't tell what will happen.

V. R. C.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—The ladies' aid society will meet with Mrs. L. F. Hubble Saturday afternoon.

—Mrs. Mary L. Anderson reports that she has 70 pupils now in her school at Mt. Hebron.

—Mrs. Richard Ward entertained Thursday evening in honor of a number of her friends.

—Miss Mary D. Newland began teaching the public school at Lawson's school-house on Monday.

—Mrs. Mary Elkin entertained quite a number of her friends at an elegant dining last Thursday.

—Rev. W. P. Nelson preached at Crab Orchard Sunday morning and at Dripping Springs that evening.

—Mr. Joseph E. Robinson, a bright, brainy young man, of Lincoln county, will locate here to practice law.

—Rev. W. L. Selby is conducting a revival at Walnut Flat. He is assisted in his work by Rev. Newsom, of Hilmon.

—Miss Jennie Anderson, of near Preachersville, began teaching the public school at the Beech Tree school-house Monday.

—Rev. Wm. Turner, of Richmond, exchanged pulpits with Rev. T. H. Campbell on Sunday and preached here at the Baptist church.

—Married last week at Nicholasville, Mr. John Sageray, aged 58 years, and Mrs. Martha Scrivener, 55. Both parties are from this county.

—Little Miss Norine Traylor Evans is now the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Evans. Her stay will be protracted for an indefinite length of time.

—The colored teachers' institute will begin next Monday and continue through Friday. The institute for the white teachers of the county will begin Monday week.

—One day recently Miss Mary Grimes went into the parlor to pull down one of the blinds when a big black snake, three feet in length, fell from the curtain upon her shoulder. Becoming much frightened she ran for assistance and the formidable looking reptile was soon put out of existence.

—Superintendent J. Hunt McMurtry and Dr. H. M. Grant report that they have examined 52 applicants to teach, including both white and black for certificates. Out of the number only three of the white received first-class certificates, two of the colored ones the same. Some four or five failed in their examination.

—Married at Abilene, Texas, Miss Affie Yeiser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Yeiser, to Mr. John Shelby, of Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Shelby will be remembered as a graduate of Garrard College under Prof. J. C. Gordon, and Miss Yeiser, an older sister, as one of the faculty at the same time.

—There will be a Demorest contest at Pleasant Grove church next Saturday, in which seven young ladies will be contestants, for the silver medal. During the week of the institute here another contest will be held at the court-house. In this contest a gold medal will be given. Only those who have won a silver medal will be allowed to enter the ring for the honor. These entertainments are very enjoyable and always draw an attentive and enthusiastic crowd.

—Yes we think we can answer a question put to us about two weeks ago, or rather give a correct solution of it. It was in reference to a certain young professional man of this place making so many frequent visits to your city and who he went to see. He is a popular, courteous young man and has many friends, but strange to say not enough for him, as he seems so anxious to add another one to the list. It is said the young lady in question will not change her surname. As to how soon the wedding bells will ring we can not say.

—Mrs. Waller Chenault, of Fort Scott, Kas., is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hudson. Rev. Robert T. West, of Washington, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. West. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rice attended the Richmond fair on Friday. D. M. Williams, of Campbellsville, has been the guest of his son, W. I. Williams, for several days past. Miss Mamie Noel is in Danville on a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Noel. Will Brooks, a popular Louisville drummer, was a sojourner here last week. G. S. Greenleaf visited his brother, John E. Greenleaf, of Richmond. Mrs. M. C. Lippold has returned to her home in Louisville, after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Clemmerson. Miss Mary Robinson, of Marksburg, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mattie May Robinson. Miss Pattie Eubanks, of Columbus, O., is visiting her cousins, Misses Kate and Lillian Kinnaird. R. E. Hughes and wife, of Lawrenceburg, are visiting relatives here. Mrs. R. L. Hagan, of Madison, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leavell. Miss Maude Robinson has returned from a visit to relatives in Danville. Mrs. Mary A. Weisiger and daughter, Miss Lucile, are visiting relatives in Columbus, O.

—Robert E. Goode, a prominent Virginian, killed himself while despondent over money matters.

CRAB ORCHARD.

—Mrs. Eliza Carson is a patient sufferer during this warm weather and is daily growing weaker.

—College Home is liberally patronized. Merry voices fill the spacious grounds and the evening breezes catch up the sweetest strains of music.

—A large delegation from here took advantage of the kindness of Mr. A. H. Bastin's free bus and attending camp meeting at Cedar Creek.

—We hope our worthy editors will honor us by their presence at our "Pink Tea." We promise you our most cordial greeting and the largest saucer of ice cream that can be found.

—Crab Orchard is wearing her gayest attire. Visitors from many quarters are here luxuriating in the beautiful sunshine, mineral, health-giving waters and exhilarating mountain air. The Springs are on a boom this season and the genial proprietor, Mr. Hofmann, is wearing his usual smiling countenance and extending his cordial hand shake to his incoming and outgoing guests.

—The ladies of the Christian church will give a "Pink Tea" next Wednesday night, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the purchase of new song books. It is hoped they will be liberally patronized. Ice cream and other delightful ices, with the many varieties of cake for which the ladies of Crab Orchard are renowned, will be served and as ice is so extremely scarce this season, many will embrace the opportunity of indulging in the luxuries thus offered.

—Miss Sallie Green is once more mingling among her friends here. Little Rhoda May Carson is recovering from her recent illness. Will Brooks is visiting his mother and sister. Judge Morrow is at the Holdam House talking free silver mildly. A. C. Stapp, wife and little daughter, of Mt. Vernon, visited friends here yesterday. E. C. Walton's bright face greeted his many friends here last week. He comes like a benediction and goes much to our regret.

—Judge W. P. Combs and wife are guests of their old friends, Dr. and Mrs. Stapp. Miss Mattie G. Scott, one of Henry county's sweetest, brightest belles, is also a pleasant visitor of Miss Rena Stapp and many of the young men think "great Scott!" Mrs. Dr. George H. Combs and her two little boys of Kansas City, are spending the heated season with her friends at College Home. Also Mrs. Jennie Watkins, of Campbellsburg, and two little daughters complete the list at the hospitable home of Dr. and Mrs. Stapp.

DOSING US WITH TAFFY.

Our esteemed contemporary down the street, the INTERIOR JOURNAL, is soon to have a new dress, and a gasoline engine. Bro. Walton seems to be inclined to put on airs since the advent of that boy, a month or two ago.—Stanford Commercial.

Col. W. P. Walton has bought a new dress for his INTERIOR JOURNAL and that bright and breezy sheet will soon appear in an entire new make-up. You could put all the grass into your eye that grows under Col. W. P.'s feet.—Lancaster Record.

That bright, spicy, strictly up-to-date semi-weekly, the Stanford INTERIOR JOURNAL, will shortly improve on its attractiveness by appearing in a new summer dress. Not content with leading the journalistic procession, the JOURNAL evidently wants to be the envy of all its rural contemporaries. Indeed when it comes to newspaper enterprise, the Messrs. Walton are hard to down.—Richmond Register.

—Mrs. Frank Allen, of Oswego, N. Y., gave birth to four girls, all of whom are alive and give promise of long life. She has named them Isabella Hispania, Savannah Susanna, Margarette Marsailles and Dorothy Demosthenes.

—The grand jury failed to indict the boodle Councilman, Campbell, of Lexington, and the Herald suggests that he will now likely return from his hiding place and claim the \$300 reward offered for him.

—At York, Pa., a man drank over a quart of whisky, but he won't do so any more. He has gone to that bourne where there are said to be no liquors, even a drop of water being at a premium.

—W. F. Hart, under arrest at Mayfield, for bigamy, confesses to having married eight wives. Two of the eight were married in Kentucky, one in Fulton and one in Graves county.

BICYCLE PARADE.—Cincinnati, Saturday, August 8. Low round trip excursion via the Queen & Crescent Route. Good to return Sunday, August 9th. Ball game, Cincinnati vs. Louisville, Sunday. Ask agents for particulars.

Last summer one of our grand children was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief. We regard it as the best medicine ever put on the market for bowel complaints.—Mrs. E. G. Gregory, Fredericktown, Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and cholera infantum in children. It never fails to give prompt relief when used in a reasonable time and the plain printed directions are followed. Many mothers have expressed their sincere gratitude for the cures it has effected.

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W. P. WALTON.

AFTER scenes of almost disgraceful confusion and disorder, the pops. at St. Louis nominated Mr. Bryan for president, having previously named "Where Am I at" Watson, of Georgia, for vice-president, the most rantankerous of the Southern populists. Mr. Bryan said after the ball had been made before the head that he would not accept the nomination, as it would be unfair to Sewall, but since then has modified his decision and now says that his acceptance will depend upon the conditions attached to it but that he will do nothing to endanger the success of bimetalism or anything unfair to Sewall. It is possible that Watson may be induced to decline the nomination and that the committee will substitute Sewall, as in the last moments of the convention it was given the authority to do by this resolution presented by George Abbott, of Nebraska, a warm adherent of Watson, and rushed through before the members knew what was up: "Resolved, That the National committee be given plenary powers over the party after the convention adjourns to do all things that the convention would do if in session." In the classic language of Watson, however, he will "see 'em in hell before I will withdraw," and there you are. Some allege that he will be substituted for Sewall, but there is no power now to make this change and if there was those of us who are giving the Chicago ticket our support, because of party obligations, would feel that we were absolved from them and for one we should have to go fishing. Mr. Bryan is a little more of a populist than we like, but in the interest of harmony and party success we have accepted him. It would be too much to ask us to swallow the straight-out, long-haired, blatant pop from Georgia. We have accepted Bryan and Sewall with the best grace we could command. The grace from above would be hardly sufficient to make us accept Bryan and Watson.

This is the most unkindest cut of all. We have always looked upon our beautiful and accomplished fellow citizen, the astute lawyer and able statesman, the boss of Lincoln county, as the possessor of any and all knowledge worth seeking after, but here comes the Harrodsburg Sayings to say: "Mr. Davison is now in the 'Railroad Handbook' stage on current issues, and before he gets out of it the battle will be fought and won for democracy. He may, by hard study, find out enough about the money question to discuss it two years hence, but he is too much in the dark to talk about it now." Sad, sad, is it indeed! And he thinks he is running for Congress too! It is just too bad.

IN A SPEECH at Harlan Court-House, John D. White showed a copy of an execution against Congressman Colson for \$1,000, which had upon it the return of the officer, "No property found;" and the Orested Jayhawker very sensibly suggested that the Hon. David should apply some of the money he had put in the primary to the payment of his honest debts. We do not know anything of the merits of the case, but we agree with John D., if his premises are correct. We have no patience with anyone who does not pay his debts if he can, and most everybody can who tries.

It was shown in our last issue that Bryan, like history, repeats himself, and now comes Congressman McCall to accuse him of plagiarism, the theft being from a speech that he made in Congress June 26, 1894, in discussing the Wilson bill. "You scourge labor to the very quick and press a crown of thorns upon its brow." "I do not know whether Mr. Bryan heard me or not," Mr. McCall adds, "but that is what I said and the inference can be drawn."

WHENEVER the Frankfort correspondents get short of something to send the dailies, they unite with an accord in telegraphing that Gov. Bradley will soon call an extra session of the Legislature and name the election of a U. S. Senator as one of the things for it to do. Gov. Bradley says he will not call it, and until he changes his mind, if he ever does, it is useless to speculate on the question.

PRESIDENTIAL lightning didn't strike Vice President Stevenson and likely never will, but a bolt from the skies came near striking him at Bowling Green Saturday. It struck Potter College, where he was the guest of the principal, and he felt the shock very perceptibly.

THE Chicago conference of sound money men decided to call a convention to nominate a ticket, and it will be held not later than Sep. 2. The democrats, populists and what-nots are getting the democratic party in a bade of a fix.

A SOUTH CAROLINA judge and the governor of the State, who are candidates for U. S. Senator, engaged in a fistfight at Florence. But what better could be expected in a State that honors such a creature as Tillman?

THE Burgin Herald has expired in its infancy for want of sustenance, but it promises to rise from the dead and shine with more effulgency than ever.

THE Democratic Honest Money League will meet in Louisville to day at the rooms of the Commercial Club to take steps for the creation of a national committee, which will meet at Indianapolis Aug. 7, to "fix the time and place for a national convention which shall adopt a democratic platform, and put out a candidate for whom sound money democrats can vote without relinquishing their convictions." Democrats ought to go exceedingly slow in this matter. The only result of such action will be the election of McKinley, the high priest of protection and everything else undemocratic. The ticket to be named can not possibly carry a single State.

THE counties that bought blood-hounds to run down criminals have found it a useless and expensive transaction, and those that haven't lost them by death are disposing of them for anything they can get. For instance, Fayette county paid \$200 for a couple two years ago. Their keep has since cost \$100 a year apiece, and the other day they were disposed of at auction at \$5 and \$8.25 respectively. The blood-hound is a failure for the purpose he is intended, and that purpose is not in keeping with the spirit of the age, which makes criminals the favored part of the population, too good to be tied to the whipping-post and too nice to be trailed by blood-hounds.

THE Richmond Register is publishing illustrated sketches of its prominent countymen, which will prove an interesting feature. A splendid picture of Gen. Cassius M. Clay is given in the last issue, together with an excellent write-up of him and "White Hall." Under its new management the Register has taken on new life and improves all the time. Editor C. E. Woods and Local Editor R. Lee Davis make as good a newspaper team as can be hitched together.

THE meeting of the republican league clubs at Lexington was not a very imposing affair. Resolutions were adopted commending the action of Gov. Bradley in calling out troops during the last Kentucky legislature, lauding the nomination of McKinley and declaring against all financial fanatisms and for the gold standard. At night, Gov. Bradley and others spoke, but very little enthusiasm was uncorked.

BRYAN is now the nominee of three conventions, the democratic, populist and the National silver party. But there can be too much of a good thing. A man is often ruined by his fool friends, and it may be that too much endorsement and too many nominations may injure the "Boy Orator of the Platte."

UNLESS the democrats and the pops unite on the same candidates and electors, so many complications will arise that McKinley alone will reap the usufruct. Things are getting awfully mixed and soon we shall, like Nominee Watson, have to inquire "where we are at."

MARK HANNA is trying to put the currency question on the side track and push protection to the front, but Mr. Harrison wrote him that in his opinion the free silver train was already on the main track.

POLITICAL POINTS.

—The sound money democrats of Texas will hold a convention August 2.

—The new republican State executive committee will meet at the Galt House, Louisville tomorrow at 2 p. m.

—All the officers in the Farmers Bank at Burgin are free silver men. But then they haven't been in the business long.

—John Baker, who defeated Morrison for Congress in Illinois, has deserted the republican party and come out for Bryan.

—It took only one ballot after they got to it for the pops to nominate Bryan, when he received 1,047 votes to F. S. Norton, of Chicago, 331.

—The silver convention at St. Louis nominated Bryan and Sewall and adjourned sine die without waiting for the populist convention to act.

—C. E. Sugg is the Kentucky member of the populist convention to notify the nominee for president and A. S. Worsley to notify the nominee for vice president.

—Mark Hanna has decided to run the McKinley campaign without an advisory committee. The opening meeting of the campaign will be at Omaha August 5.

—Mr. Bryan says that the populist platform endorses some policies that he does not approve, but to the casual observer there is little difference between it and the Chicago declaration.

—Swearing that he would never submit to a primary, John D. White has at last determined to submit and has so written Chairman Hill, though he didn't send the \$1,000 necessary to enter his name.

—Col. A. S. Hunt says he will "bet five to four in any amount from \$1 to \$100,000 that McKinley is the next president of the United States and will pay \$10 to every man who brings him a \$100 bet."—Lexington Leader.

—It is understood at Washington that if President Cleveland declares himself against the Chicago ticket, Secretary Hoke Smith, who has announced his purpose to support the ticket, will resign his place in the cabinet.

—The petition to the democratic executive committee of the Seventh district, asking that a primary election be called to nominate a candidate for Congress, is said to be assuming proportions that will compel attention.

—The republican papers print his name Sewall and think it is mighty funny.

—The Honest money Democratic League of the Fifth Congressional district has enrolled 1,000 members—all democrats who will not support the populist nominee—and the good work has just begun.—Courier Journal.

—Hons. John W. Yerkes and Sam J. Roberts, to whom was delegated the power of the State committee to organize a republican campaign committee for Kentucky, have announced selections as follows: James F. Buckner, Louisville; W. J. Deboe, Marion; George W. Leiberth, Newport; George W. Welsh, Danville; Sam J. Roberts, Lexington.

—Watson, the Georgia pop., has served one term in Congress and ran three times for the office, being twice defeated by better men. His unique personality made him a conspicuous figure in the House of Representatives. He was a fiery debater and took part in numerous hot parliamentary fights. In personal appearance Watson is thin and angular, with a clean shaven face of intellectual cast and a thick mop of auburn hair.

MORE NEWS NOTES.

—Three men were burned to death at Chicago.

—The Ohio river is on a big tear and doing great damage along its banks.

—The federal court has declared the anti-cigarette law of Iowa unconstitutional.

—Banks of Philadelphia tendered \$6,700,000 of gold to the United States treasury.

—Millions of dollars' worth of damage has been done by floods in Ohio and West Virginia.

—At Raytown, Ind., Charles Welch fatally wounded Sam Tate with a pistol he didn't think was loaded.

—At Burgess' Ferry Landing, Tenn., a boy killed a farmer who had accused him of stealing roasting ears.

—A rice mill and warehouse, with 35,000 bushels of rice, were destroyed by fire at Savannah, Ga. Loss, 160,000.

—Spain is preparing to send 38,000 fresh troops to Cuba during August and September and 20,000 more in December.

—Peter Sims, of Tallahassee, Fla., attempted suicide because his father whipped him in the presence of his playmates.

—Thomas Alexander, a merchant of Cairo, Ill., was given five years in the penitentiary for selling diseased meat.

—G. W. Wesley, a preacher, is under arrest at Louisa, Ky., charged with bigamy. He is said to have three living wives.

—The four-year-old son of James Justice, of Pikeville, shot and killed himself, presumably for grief over the death of his twin brother.

—Action of the New York bankers in agreeing to maintain the gold reserve removes the possibility of a bond issue until after the fall elections at least.

—Thomas Helm, of San Francisco, fell from a loaded wagon and broke his nose. He looked so ugly he shot himself to death with the first pistol he found.

—Nick Firzer, the well-known tobacco manufacturer and turfman, died in Chicago, where he was undergoing treatment for a complication of troubles.

—The Northern Pacific railroad was sold by Special Master Carey at West Superior, Wis. It was bid in for the reorganization committee for \$13,000,000.

—Daniel Shroyer, a well known resident of Park Ridge, Chicago, was shot and killed by his son-in-law, George E. Pottinger, who mistook him for a burglar.

—A wave 10 feet high swept down Bear Creek Canon, Colorado, as the result of a sudden mountain storm and 29 dead bodies have already been recovered.

—A Louisville man who had to liquidate a \$1,000 Chicago mortgage in gold was obliged to pay a premium of one-half of one per cent. to get the yellow metal.

—The Illinois Central Railroad Company bought the Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern railroad for \$1,500,000, this being the upset price fixed by the United States court.

—While returning from a country church in Grant county, Carl Hightower and Noah Readenower, two neighbor boys, engaged in a fight about a girl to whom both were paying attentions. Hightower was killed and Readenower wounded.

—The flood along the Monongahela valley is the worst ever known in that section. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. At Pittsburgh the rivermen have been warned. Already the damage is immense. The tributaries of the upper Ohio are out of their banks.

—The new order of the post-office department forbidding railroads to carry letters even on their own business, unless they are stamped, is said to cost the L. & N. \$200 a day. The railroads are going to contest the question in the courts, but in the meantime will have to pay.

SOMEWHAT LOCAL.

—An Anderson county republican has named his twins, a boy and girl, Mark and Hanna.

—Auditor S. H. Stone's large tobacco barn was demolished by the storm near Richmond Friday.

—The roof of R. J. White's residence was blown off by the rainstorm of Friday near Richmond.

—Capt. R. T. Wilmore, a republican politician of Jessamine, fell down stairs

at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington and broke his left leg. His right leg has been broken three times.

—Gov. Bradley was in Cincinnati Saturday under treatment for a throat trouble that has bothered him for years.

—Dr. B. B. Duncan, of Jellico, was fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of his wife.

—The second trial of Joe Adkins and Jesse Fields for the murder of Judge Combs will be called at Barbourville today.

—Two little negroes, arrested for placing obstructions on the Southern road at Burgin, confessed and said they just did it for fun.

—The Advocate says that N. W. Duck, for a long time postmaster at Shelby City, under republican administrations, has dropped and will vote for Bryan.

—It is now a finable offense for parents or guardians to fail to send their children, between the ages of 6 and 20, to school for a certain period each year.

—Mrs. M. F. Simmons, aged 80 years, and the grand mother of Will Wallace, the turfman, died at Nicholasville from injuries received by a fall several weeks ago.

—Ex-Policeman John Beard, who, it is alleged, embezzled about \$1,000 of the taxes he collected at Nicholasville, was arrested in Louisville after being a fugitive for some time.

—Ernest Wagers, son of Deputy Jailer Brose Wagers, of Richmond, took laudanum with suicidal intent. A stomach pump was used and saved the young man's life. The act was the result of unrequited love.

Will somebody please explain? Lincoln county has lately sentenced 13 criminals to the penitentiary, and every mother's son of them, according to the INTERIOR JOURNAL, was a republican. Madison county, on the other hand, has, in the last two months, sent 15 persons to the Lexington asylum, and it is claimed that all were democrats. Will somebody please explain?—Richmond Register.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Winter Turf seed oats for sale. J. F. Cook, Rowland.

—Well improved farm for sale. G. B. Barnett, Hubble, Ky.

—Fourteen mules were drowned by a cloud burst in Clay county.

—Frank Holtzclaw bought in the East End a bunch of heifers and steers at 2 1/2 c.

—The new Louisville jockey club has decided to give no fall meeting at Churchill Downs.

—The First Annual Exhibition of the Lawrenceburg Fair Association will be held Aug. 18-21.

—Charles Spillman, of Jessamine, tells us new corn has been offered at 75c per barrel in his county.

—Mr. J. E. Farria took his string of saddles to the Richmond fair, but we are sorry to say he got tailored all round.

—FOR RENT.—Our farm of 130 acres on the Hustonville pike for 1897. Apply to Mrs. Alice Cloyd and Miss Belle Cash.

—T. J. Culton bought in the East End a bunch of calves at \$8 to \$10 and sold to G. A. Swinebroad 10 cows and heifers at 2 1/2 c.

—Mr. Samuel Duddler sold to J. H. Baughman & Co. about 500 bushels of old wheat at 60c, with the rise till Aug. 1st.

—Well filled races and hotly contested rings will be the rule at the Danville Fair. Don't fail to go. August 4, 5 and 6.

—Bailey & Drye started W. S. Embury's Essie Mayhew in a running race at the Richmond fair, but she was behind the money.

—The peach growers on Muldraugh's Hill report the crop seriously damaged by the heavy rains. Mr. Jas. Talbott thinks he has sustained a loss of at least \$500.—Elizabethtown News.

—Coleman, Russell & Co. shipped a double-decker of lambs to Louisville. They paid 4 1/2 cents and sold them for 5 1/2 cts. Mrs. Rosa Payne had half of her field of wheat to yield 35 bushels to the acre.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Matt Gibson is having luck in pigs. On Saturday one sow gave birth to 14 pigs; on Sunday forenoon another had 12, and that afternoon a third had 14. The fourth that made a record last year of 16, is expected within a day or two to materially increase the out put.—Richmond Climax.

J. H. Lyons, principal of the Colored High School at Nicholasville, was here yesterday trying to arrange for a joint institute of the teachers of this and Jessamine counties to be held at Nicholasville, which will likely be done.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. G. BAKER

Is a Candidate for Assessor of Lincoln, subject to action of the democratic party. Thinking the Southern end of the county is entitled to a slice of the pie he asks your support.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday, August 29, 1896,

At 10 o'clock, I will sell my FARM, containing 104 ACRES, situated about 5 miles from Stanford on the Lancaster pike. The farm is in a high state of cultivation, the land is good and well watered. It has a 1/2 story dwelling containing five rooms, good stable and necessary out-buildings and a good orchard. Terms: One-half cash and balance due Jan. 1, 1897, with 6 per cent. interest from day of sale. 43-45 W. T. STONE.

HIDES. I will take all the hides I can get for cash or in trade for leather on court days at Stanford or at my home in Ottemheim. Chas. Enslin, Tanner.

WE TAKE ORDERS FOR ANYTHING IN CLOTHING LINE. FIT GUARANTEED.

Another Week of Stirring Interest

—AT THE—

LOUISVILLE STORE.

Read what we have on the list for this week:

White Fringe Towels, 42 in. long, 10c.

India Linen, worth 7 1/2 and 8 1/2 c, goes at 5c.

Dimitis and Fine Lawn, worth 15 and 20c, now 10c.

All kinds of Calicoes, Blue, Black and Red, 5c.

Ladies' Seamless Black and Tan Hose only 8c.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, worth 10 and 12 1/2 c, now 5c.

Ladies' Black and Tan Oxfords, regular price 75c, now 43c.

Men's Plow Shoes, 98c.

Ladies' Cloth-Top Shoes, regular price \$2.00, now \$1.25.

Men's Fine Shoes, Congress or Lace, go now at 98c.

See all other Shoes as they go in proportion—very low.

Good Overalls, Brown or Blue, 43c.

Good Check Jackets, 35c.

Good Heavy Cotton Pants, 50c.

Blue Cottonade Pants, 45c.

A Nice Assortment of Carpets and Matting.

35c Matting now 20c.

25c " " 15c.

15c " " 10c.

And a thousand other things too tedious to mention.

We are never undersold, but always undersell.

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Branch Stores:

Paris, Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Bardstown, Lawrenceburg

Cynthiana, Versailles, Eminence, Georgetown,

Elizabethtown, Frankfort, Ky.,

and Mauckport, Ind.

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Are both the prices and quality of all Coal sold by us. We can sell you

Coal at 7c to 14c per Bu.

Delivered at your house. Have about 300 bushels of SCREENINGS LEFT AT 5 BU. FOR \$1.

Call and see us.

J. H. BAUGHMAN & CO.

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AT YOUR PRICE.

Cooking, Heating, Gasoline, } Stoves, And Ranges for 30 days going at less than actual cost.

W. H. WEAREN & CO.

CASH BASIS AT PENNY'S DRUG STORE.

After having for some time considered the advantages and disadvantages of the Cash System of doing business, we have been forced to the conclusion that it is right, and in the end, the best for both buyer and seller. On Wednesday, July 15, we will begin this system, viz: Buying and Selling for Cash Only, and we feel sure that we shall be able to satisfy both old and new customers that this move is best both for them and for us. We will carry a Better and Larger Stock of Goods than ever before and feel sure that we shall be able to please you in service, in quality of goods and in price. Yours for Business,

G. L. PENNY, Ex'or.

TRY PAYING CASH

JULY 1ST

Has Come and Gone and

Your Account Remains Unpaid.

A great many have been due a long time. I shall make a greater effort than I have ever made to collect, so to save time and annoyance both to you and to me I must ask that all those who owe me for accounts due, to settle at once. Interest added to all accounts due last January.

H. J. McROBERTS.

Next door to Penny's Drug Store, Stanford, Ky.

SEE OUR TAILOR-MADE SHIRTS IN PERCALES, PIQUES, MAD.

SEE OUR TAILOR-MADE CLOTHING. SLAN, MADE ANY STYLE.

You should take your prescriptions to Penny's drug store where prompt and accurate service is guaranteed.

PERSONAL POINTS.

HOLDAM STUART, of Grays, was here courting again Sunday.

Miss KATH COOK is attending the Casey County Institute at Liberty.

Miss BETTIE PAXTON is back from Pittsburgh, much improved in health.

Miss MAGGIE PALMER, of Garrard, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Traylor.

Mrs. W. S. WARREN is spending a few days with relatives at Crab Orchard.

Mr. I. S. PHILLIPS went to Cincinnati last week to have his cancer treated.

Mr. C. W. KREMER, of Louisville, has joined his wife at Mr. H. T. Harris.

Miss BELLE FISH, of Nicholasville, is the guest of Miss Annie Bronaugh Engleman.

Miss NELLIE ORNDORFF has returned from Lebanon Junction after a visit to friends.

Misses SUE RUT and Virginia Broadus spent several days at Linnietta Springs.

Miss BETTIE DeBORD and her visitor, Miss Campbell, are with friends in Crab Orchard.

Miss MARY Lusk, of Hustonville, passed through to Richmond, Saturday, to visit friends.

B. G. PENNINGTON, of Middleboro, was here Saturday selling Walla Walla chewing gum.

Mrs. MARY POTTER went to Lebanon, Saturday, to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Holderman.

Mrs. P. H. IDOL and children of Lexington, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White.

ARCH A. MCKINNEY, Jr., arrived from Montgomery, Ala., Saturday morning, to visit his home folks.

Miss JENNIE GLOSTER and little sister, Flora Nell, of Gallatin, Tenn., are guests at Judge M. C. Sauley's.

Miss ELSIE BURCH went up to Crab Orchard yesterday to visit the Misses Buchanan and get well and strong.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. EASTIN, who have been visiting relatives in the county, returned to Pittsburgh yesterday.

Miss LAURA PAYNE, of Orange, Va., after a pleasant visit to the Misses Chancellor, returned home yesterday.

Mr. SAM HARDIN and daughter, Miss Birdie, of Crab Orchard, were here yesterday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hardin.

Miss FLORENCE ROCH, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. O. E. Roch, returned, Saturday, to her home at Madison, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. GREGORY and pretty little Catherine, of Grayson, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas P. Bailey.

Mr. J. M. ALVORSON took in the last day of the Richmond Fair and found it first class. He says the association will come out ahead.

Miss MARY MYERS was denied the sad satisfaction of seeing her brother, even in death. Owing to delay in trains, she did not reach here until an hour after his burial.

Mrs. GOV. W. O. BRADLEY and handsome daughter, Miss Christine, spent several hours with her sister, Mrs. R. C. Warren, on their way to Rock Castle Springs, Saturday.

Mrs. A. D. ROOR has been chosen by the Carr-Burdett College at Sherman, Texas, to take charge of its Home Department and will leave with her daughters about Aug. 15.

The home of Mr. Thomas Jefferson Hatcher is a veritable hospital. His wife and four children are down with the measles. Mrs. Hatcher has been very ill but is improving.

Mrs. MATTIE ALVORSON and daughter, Miss Rosa Lee, took nearly all the premiums at the Richmond fair on bread and cake. We know that they were fully entitled to the latter, for we sampled some of it.

Misses FLORENCE MYERS, Sue Whitley and Nellie Murphy, Tevis Carpenter, of this place, and Pearl Faulconer, of Danville, form a house party at "Fairlawn," the beautiful country home of Miss Mamie Wilson Carpenter, this week.

Mrs. W. S. GRINSTEAD is at last out of danger, we are glad to say. Her husband sat up with her over a week and attended to all his church calls, besides watching the bedside of his son, Letcher, who is down with the measles.

CAPT. W. H. KIRBY, wife and Miss Mattie Thompson, surprised their many friends here by coming in on Saturday morning's train and remaining a few hours. The captain has shaved his beautiful goatee off and could almost pass in cog.

Mr. JOHN M. HAIL was taken down with flux Friday and got so ill that it was thought best to telegraph for his son, R. G. Hail, at Somerset, to come. Hg arrived to find him some better and he was still somewhat improved yesterday.

Mrs. MARY ANN HUSTON, of Bloomington, Ill., great-aunt of Mrs. A. C. Dunn, with two of her girlhood associates, Mrs. Margaret Lasley, of Louisville, and Mrs. Margaret Stevenson, of Crab Orchard, are visiting Mrs. Dunn. Each of them is over 80 years old.

Misses ALICE BAUGHMAN and Mary Dunn, of Danville, are visiting Mrs. J. W. Baughman.

Miss FANNIE SHANKS left for Lexington yesterday to be bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Lily Lynne.

Miss BELLE DENNY will be at home to her friends Thursday evening and Monday next Miss Anne Hartwell Shanks will entertain.

Miss OLIVE WOODSON and Mr. L. K. Haggin, of St. Joseph, Mo., who were with Miss Fannie Shanks, went over to Fayette yesterday to visit friends.

CITY AND VICINITY.

LADIES' collars and cuffs at Shanks'.

SAY! Buy those spec's from Danks.

Prescription work done at lowest cash prices. Craig & Hocker.

DANVILLE FAIR, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, August 4, 5 and 6.

LEAD pencils, extra good, 10c dozen. Craig & Hocker Cash House.

LATEST in imported Parisian novelties in gents' neckwear at Shanks'.

STORE HOUSE with living rooms attached, near depot, for rent. Apply to Noel & Son.

Don't you wish you had a gasoline stove this weather? We have 'em. Higgins & McKinney.

YOUR account is due and ready for you. I need money and ask that you pay me at once. H. C. Rupley.

YOUR account at M. S. & J. W. Baughman's is ready for you and you must settle it at once. Don't fail.

SPECTACLES \$1.00 pair, upwards, best quality and fitted accurately. Examination free. Danks, the jeweler.

The Danville Fair is always the best in the country. It will be held next week, and everybody and his aunt will be there.

If you want a pair of trousers, remember one of the largest, cleanest, newest, best and cheapest lines is to be found at Shanks'.

FOR SALE.—Foot power machinery: 1 combination rip and cut off saw, 1 turning lathe, 1 scroll saw. A. C. Sine, Stanford, Ky.

A good many Danville people say they will not support the Chicago ticket. Of course some of them will not for several are republicans of the deepest dye.

A WARRANT was sworn out against Wm. Phelps, a Pulaski county boy, yesterday, charging him with stealing a pistol from Jeff Belden, but he hadn't been apprehended at last accounts.

THE Knights of Pythias were so well pleased with the report we published of Rev. A. V. Sizemore's excellent sermon on Pythianism that they ordered 1,000 copies in pamphlet form, which they will distribute in missionary work for the order.

COAL.—Mr. John B. Higgins has bought of Mr. J. W. Adams his bin, scales, office, &c., at Rowland, for \$300 and will put the business there in charge of Mr. James Bliss, formerly of this place, but now of Lexington. Mr. Adams has made money out of the business at Rowland and it is hoped that Mr. Higgins will be as fortunate.

A FRAUD.—A man giving his name as "George Wallace," and claiming to be from Stanford, applied to the Odd Fellows of Paris for financial aid. In reply to an inquiry a telegram from Stanford said: "The man is a first class swindler." In the meanwhile the impostor had partaken of a square meal at the order's expense and silently taken his departure.—Paris News.—No such man is known here.

EGGS.—Mrs. W. K. Edwards, of the East End, has made a record with her hens this year that beats any of which we have heard. She has 25 in number and has sold 340 dozen eggs, besides using all she wanted for eating and hatching purposes. At the low price of eggs she has gotten not less than \$30 for what she has sold. Considering the fact that it costs little or nothing to keep chickens on a farm, Mrs. Edwards made almost the entire amount clear.

GOOD.—Mr. William Anderson, a red hot free silver democrat of the Preachersville section, theorizes thusly about the democratic and republican candidates for president: "Mr. Bryan is called a populist because most of the populists will vote for him. If this makes him a populist, I insist that McKinley is a Negro, as he will get that vote almost to a man." It is a poor rule that wont work both ways, but it is not our intention to even insinuate that Mr. McKinley does not belong to the caucasian race.

THE Nicholasville city council has just passed an ordinance making it a fine of \$3 to ride a bicycle on the sidewalk. Nearly every town has such an ordinance and Stanford oughtn't to lag behind in the procession till somebody is hurt, as they will surely be unless the practice is stopped. Pedestrians ought to have some rights which bicyclists should respect. A Negro has the same right as anybody else, but a gentleman grew more than usually indignant the other day when he told us that he had just seen a Negro blow his whistle to make a white lady get out of his way as he was scorching on the pavement.

Hot weather; no cook; get an oil stove quick. Higgins & McKinney.

HON. W. B. SMITH, of Richmond, democratic elector, will speak here next county court day.

S. McC. SMITH has been appointed postmaster at Hubble, in place of Mrs. J. A. Hammond resigned.

Good music, shady grounds, lots of trotting and bicycle racing at the Danville Fair. Aug. 4, 5 and 6.

Don't miss the young men's declamatory contest at Walton's Opera House, August 11. All are experienced speakers.

You can find a splendid stock of all the newest and best things in stationery, tablets and blank books at Penny's Drug Store.

"Where are you going my pretty maid?" "To the Danville Fair, kind sir," she said. Next week, beginning Tuesday, Aug. 4.

SEE the watches to be given in declamatory contest at Danks' jewelry store. The contestants' photographs will be on exhibition this week. E. H. Beazley.

MATT MARTIN got on a tear at Rowland Saturday afternoon and began to charge around with a shot gun, till it went off and an officer went and arrested him. He was let off easy.

RAPE.—William Henry, a white married man, was lodged in jail at Lancaster for criminally assaulting the 14-year-old daughter of James Stewart and there are prospects of his being lynched.

BADLY HURT.—Mr. John Engleman received a letter from Anderson, I. T., saying that his brother, Jacob Engleman, was thrown from a wagon in a runaway, and besides having his hip broken, was otherwise seriously hurt. The letter added that the chances were against his recovery.

THOMAS GILL performed the Ethiopian act of drawing a razor on John Waddeat Neal's Creek church Sunday night and Monday Waddeat came in and swore out a writ for him. Constable Benedict went out to bring him in, but had not found him when this was written. The Kennedy boys are also wanted for disturbing worship at the same place, but they too were non est when the officer went for them.

C. O. SPRINGS.—There are over 100 guests at Crab Orchard Springs now, and parties from Atlanta and other southern cities are booked for this week. Manager Hofmann is doing all in his power to make it pleasant for them in attendance and is succeeding admirably. The fare is the best for years, and Crab Orchard Springs to-day looks more like the famous summer resort of years ago than it has for a number of seasons.

BRO. G. W. YOUNG, of Richmond, evidently believes that we are heard for our much speaking. During a service here the other day he prayed a prayer that lasted several minutes longer than the sermon, which was long enough for the occasion. Nature made the good brother long in body and he evidently believes in making everything else likewise, but there can be too much even of a good thing, our mother used to tell us.

WOULD it not be a good idea for those democrats who are tearing their shirts to secure nominations for county offices to spend some of their time in trying to wrench Lincoln county out of republican hands? Boss Davison and his cohorts are doing all in their power to carry the county this fall, and should they succeed, there's no telling when we will redeem it. Lay aside personal ambition for awhile, gentlemen, and make your fight against the enemy. Beat the republicans in November and you may get the office you seek, but should we fail the chances will be decidedly against you.

THE new democratic county committee met here a few days ago and organized by electing J. E. Carson, chairman. The list is as follows: Stanford, No. 1, R. L. Hubble; 2, D. F. Logan; 3, J. C. Lynn; 4, W. C. Barnett. Crab Orchard, No. 1, J. E. Carson; 2, J. R. Edmiston. Wayneburg, No. 1, L. G. Gooch; 2, W. L. McCarty; 3, J. H. Carter. Hustonville, No. 1, J. E. Wright; 2, E. D. Kennedy; 3, S. M. Owens. Those turned down are J. H. White, Henry Heister, R. G. Denny, J. H. Moore, F. E. Wright, C. L. Hensley and R. C. Warren. Let the new men get to work now and redeem the county from republican rule.

DECLAMATORY CONTEST.—The handsome gold watch to be given to the successful contestant at Beazley and Menefee's declamatory contest, on Tuesday, Aug. 11, is on exhibition at Danks' jewelry store. Call and see it, together with the pictures of the young men who will try to win it. The contestants are Rodman Keenan, of Harrodsburg Graded School, "The Dedication of the Old Kentucky Home;" Don Victor Ballou, Hoggatt Academy, "The Unknown Speaker;" Ward Goodloe, Centre College, "The Cobras;" J. W. Throckmorton, Kentucky University, "The Chariot Race;" James M. Sauley, M. E. T. Literary Society, Stanford, "The Crown of Victory;" John Robinson, Hubble, "The Hero Woman;" Ken. T. Riggs, Oynthiana, "The Death of Benedict Arnold." The admission will be 35 and 50c, reserved seats at usual place. The music will be a pleasing feature of the entertainment.

Magic stock and chicken food, best and cheapest on the market. Craig & Hocker.

It hasn't rained for several days but we have other complaints to make of the weather. It is terrifically hot day and night, climaxing Sunday in the mercury at noon hovering around 100°. Slightly cooler is predicted for tomorrow.

HON. W. H. MILLER died April 31, but his brother, John H. Miller, away off in the Falkland Islands didn't hear of it till June 5th, and then through letter from Mr. J. B. Paxton. An answer came from him yesterday which will appear in next issue.

COL. T. P. HILL and Judge J. W. Alcorn went to Frankfort this morning with a long petition asking that the death sentence of Anthony Alcorn be commuted. We need a hanging here, but a poor ignorant Negro boy is not the right kind of material to commence on.

SWORD.—Mrs. Bettie McKinney has received through Capt. George H. McKinney, the sword taken from her husband, Capt. W. F. McKinney, when he was captured during the war. Louis Harrison, a Florida Confederate soldier, had it and opened up the correspondence which finally restored the weapon to the family.

FOR ASSESSOR.—Mr. C. Granville Baker's announcement for assessor will be seen in another column. There is no better democrat than Mr. Baker and there are many reasons why his claims should be considered. He comes from a section of the county, Kingsville, which has had very few offices and those who believe in an equal division of the "pie" will find it hard to vote against him.

WOMEN.—There is a woman in the Preachersville section who is so industrious that she works two of the old-fashioned up and down churns at once and washes dishes with one hand and wipes them with the other. It is also claimed for her that she can button her shoes and comb her hair at the same time. In another portion of the county is an old maid who has been chewing on the same piece of Yucatan gum since Christmas.

GAVE HIM THE SLIP.—Deputy Constable Sam Rothwell, armed with a writ for Dick Oliver for carrying concealed weapons, went out to hunt for him Saturday morning. He was found after considerable search on Mr. Walker Roul's farm in the West End and agreed to go wherever the officer desired if he would only permit him to go to his home and get his shoes. Mr. Rothwell agreed to this and while Oliver went in his house he guarded the entrance. It was liberty rather than shoes he wanted, however, for a few moments later he was heard to jump out of the back window. Mr. Rothwell ran him for a mile or so, but seeing that he was outclassed, gave up the race and returned to Stanford. The lesson will be worth a good deal to the young officer.

THE following are the guests at Linnietta Springs: H. Power, New York City; Miss Lizzie Bell Johnston, Danville; Miss Elizabeth Sadlarran, Capt. W. H. Kirby and wife, Miss Mattie Thompson, Geo. S. Shelby, R. W. Kennedy, Mrs. J. E. Davis, E. T. Foster and wife, Lexington; J. E. Chilton and wife, J. W. Corley, C. L. Holmes, Louisville; Miss Lucy Gray, Cincinnati; H. T. Price, Knoxville, Tenn.; Miss Pearl Cleaver, Lebanon; Miss Nellie Kean, Mitchell, Ind.; Mrs. R. A. Collins, Williamsstown; F. L. Brinkley, Charley Morrow, Somerset; Mrs. Chas. Benson, Miss Maria Redding, Atlanta, Ga.; J. L. Waddell, St. Louis; Rev. and Mrs. G. D. Turner, Jasper, Fla.; J. Warren Shelby, Louisiana; Mrs. Gertie Price, Mt. Vernon; Mrs. J. W. Whipple and daughter, Miss Daisy, Miss E. Elson, Louisville; Charles Seitz, Cynthia; W. H. Means, Maysville. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, Cincinnati.

MYERS.—The funeral services of Stephen S. Myers were quite impressive. Rev. G. W. Young, of Richmond, read the service for the dead and offered a fervent prayer for consolation for the widow, orphans and relatives of the deceased, after which Rev. W. S. Grinstead preached a brief and exceedingly appropriate sermon from the Psalmist: "Call upon me in the day of trouble: I will deliver thee, and thou shalt glorify me." In conclusion, he read the obituary from the INTERIOR JOURNAL, and after offering consolation to the bereaved, took occasion to pay Mr. E. H. Stallcup the highest praise for the tenderness and devotion he has always displayed, so unusual for a step-son. The Masons, under the escort of the old Confederates, of which gallant army the deceased was one of the truest and bravest, then followed the remains to the grave, and with the honors of the order, directed by W. M. Rev. A. V. Sizemore, consigned them to the earth. The Rev. R. R. Noel, on behalf of the Confederates, delivered a little address, which was as beautifully worded as it was applicable to the occasion. He spoke of the deeds of valor of those who fought for the Lost Cause and referred in touching terms to the rapidly decimating ranks, less than 50,000 remaining of the several hundred thousand who went forth to battle for the cause they loved and believed to be just. The Confederates present were Judge M. C. Sauley, Cam Duncan, T. J. Hatcher, A. E. Denny, A. P. Pendleton, G. S. Carpenter, T. L. Shelton, R. R. Noel, G. W. DeBord and Capt. Thos. Richards. Among the visiting Masons were Robt. Kincaid and Louis Landrum, of Lancaster, and Sam M. Owens, of McKinney Lodge, who acted as Marshal.

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Now is your time. They are going at prices in the reach of all. It will soon be time to use

Wheat Drills, Land Rollers

And the like, and you should see my stock and get my prices before you buy. FARM WAGONS LOWER THAN EVER.

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Yes, it's hot, and you are killing yourself cooking on that old stove.

Buy You a Gasoline or Coal Oil Stove

We will sell you either on trial, and will take it back if you are not satisfied. Don't wait until you have

Broken Yourself Down!

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